

I oppose loosening the rules designed to promote and protect diversity of media ownership. These rules were adopted to ensure that the public would receive a diverse range of viewpoints from the media, and not simply the opinions of a handful of media conglomerates. The cable ownership

cap is a crucial element of our democratic media, and it should not be weakened.

I count on the FCC, as do all Americans, to protect citizens by NOT allowing further media consolidation. Lifting the cable ownership cap will not serve the public interest.